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Sir:

Agent for applicants BADYLAK, Stephen Francis and RODENBERG, Eric James who signed the two counterpart Declaration and Power of Attorney--Patent Application documents on 17 April 2003 (17.04.03) and 15 February 2003, respectively, for the U.S. national phase of PCT application serial no. PCT/US03/00604 filed 09 January 2003 (09.01.03) indicates the following ten (10) practitioners to be recognized by the United States Patent Office as being of record under Customer No. 23643 in the above-identified application:

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This Letter is being submitted to comply with 37 CFR 1.32(c)(3) effective 25 June 2004 (25.06.04) to fulfill the requirements for national entry under 35 U.S.C. 371 under the circumstance wherein the original counterpart Declaration and Power of Attorney forms were executed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.497 for completion of the U.S. national phase laws in effect at the time of execution, but wherein the law changed prior to the fulfillment of entry into the national phase.

With the entry of the two executed counterpart Declaration and Power of Attorney--Patent Application forms and this letter, applicants believe that all national stage requirements have been completed and request the issuance of a Notice of Acceptance of Application under 35 U.S.C. 371 and 37 CFR 1.495.

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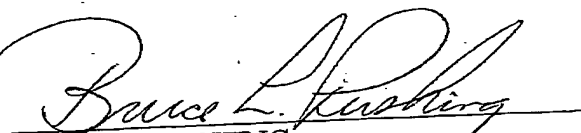
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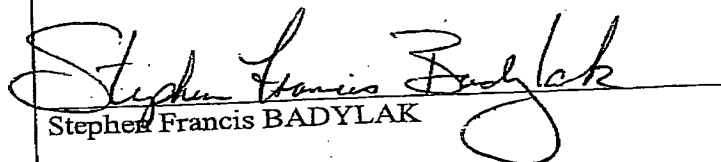
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